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- 1. HONDURAS 2. CNTRY CODE: 215 3. SER. NO: NA
- 4. ASTRO AGIROLCA, S. A. DE C.V.
- 5. APARTADO POSTAL 1119; FINAL AVE. LOS PROCERES
- 6. TEGUCIGALPA, D.C., HONDURAS
- 7. ESTABL: 1971 8. EMPL: 58 9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM
- 10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
- 11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS IN HONDURAS
- 12. RPT. DATE: 05/77

13A. 28791/35 IMP AND DIST OF INSECTICIDAL PREPARATIONS FOR AGRICULTURAL USE 13B. 28792/35 IMP AND DIST OF HERBICIDAL PREPARATIONS FOR AGRICULTURAL USE. UNCLASSIFIED

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13C. 28349/35 IMP AND DIST OF PHARMACEUTICAL PREPRARATIONS FOR VETERINARY USE 13D. 50990/35 IMP AND DIST OF AGRICULTURAL SEEDS 13E. 35232/25 IMP AND DIST OF AGRICULTURAL HAND SPRAYERS AND DUSTERS 13F. 35511/35 IMP AND DIST OF MILK PASTEURIZERS AND COOLERS 13G. 35230/35 IMP AND DIST OF FARM MACHINERY, ALL TYPES

14. CONTACT: MARIO MORAN SANCHEZ TITLE: MANAGER

15. CABLE: AGRICOLA 16. TELEX: 1216 AGRICOLA HT 17. TEL: 220166

18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANCO CONTINENTAL, S.A., 7 AVE. 2 CALLE S.O., 6, SAN PEDRO SULA; BANCO FINANCIERA HONDURENA S.A., 3 CALLE 7 AVE. TEGUCIGALPA, BANCO DE LONDRES Y MONTREAL, 4 CALLE 5 AVE., TEGUCIGALPA.

19. TRADE REFS: AMERICAN CYANAMID CO., BERDAN AVE., WAYNE, N.J. 07470; E.I. DU PONT DE NEMOURS & CO. INC., 1007 MARKET ST., WILMINGTON, DEL. 19898.

20. AGENCY REP, OF E.I. DU PONT DE NEMOURS & CO. INC., 1007 MARKET ST., WILMINGTON, DELWARE 19898, FOR INSECTICIDES AND HERBICIDES, ACQUIRED 1971; ASGROW INTERNATIONAL CORP., KALAMAZOO, MICHIGAN FOR AGRICULTURAL SEEDS, ACQUIRED 1971, AMERICAN CYANAMID CO., BERDAN AVE., WAYNE, N.J. 07470 FOR VETERINARY PHARMACEUTICALS, ACQUIRED 1971; H.D. HUDSON MFG. CO., 500 N. MICHIGAN AVE., CHICAGO, ILL. 60611, FOR SPRAYERS AND DUSTERS, ACQUIRED 1971; SPRAYING SYSTEMS CO., NORTH AVE. AT SCHMALE RD., WHEATON, ILL. 60187, FOR FUMIGATING EQUIPMENT, ACQUIRED 1971; INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER CO., 401 N. MICHIGAN AVE., CHICAGO, ILL. 60611, UNCLASSIFIED

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FOR AGRICULTURAL (FARM) MACHINERY, ACQUIRED 1975.

21. THIS FIRM IS ONE OF SIX COMPANIES FORMED BY MIGUEL FACUSSE WHO STARTED WITH QUIMICAS DINANT DE CENTROAMERICA. THE HOLDING COMPANY OF THE FACUSSE COMPANIES IS COMERCIAL E INVERSIONES GALAXIA. THE FIRM'S BASIC CAPITAL IS 1,200,000 LEMPIRAS (US\$600,000); 1976 SALES WERE OVER \$1.4 MILLION. IT HAS DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES IN TEGUCIGALPA AND SAN PEDRO SULA. THE FIRM'S PRINCIPAL STOCKHOLDERS ARE CONADI, QUIMICAS DINANT, EDWIN HANDAL, VERA SAENZ DE FACUSSE, JOSE FACUSSE AND ORLANDO LARA HURST. THE FIRM'S FINANCES ARE SOUND AND OBLIGATIONS ARE MET SATISFACTORILY. THE POST CONSIDERS THE SUBJECT A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

2. PREPARED BY: H. CASTILLO APPROVED BY: MKROMHOUT. BRCKER

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